Stocks Rally Sharply on Shorts Covering and Harriman Cliques Buying Orders

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET NERV- DEMAND IS STRONG OUS DESPITE SHARP ADVANCES THROUGHOUT LIST.

ern Pacific, 1%; St. Paul, 1/2; Sault Ste.

Marie, 17/8; Steel, common, 7/8; Atchison, 7/8: Baltimore and Ohio, 7/4; Brooklyn

There was some little let-up in the demand in the last half hour, but a steady tone prevailed.

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ington Stock Exchange and Chicago Board of

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

TODAY'S PRICES ON

DAY'S GAINS. Chesapeake and Ohio. Colorado Southern. Colerado Southern pf. Illinois Central Kansas City Southern Sugar General Electric Consolidated Gas Pacific Coast Sault St. Marie Missourl Pacific Northwestern Reading Southern Pacific Union Pacific Anaconda Norfolk and Western Western Union .. Steel common. Wisconsin Central ... DAY'S DECLINES Brooklyn Rapid Transit.

clique has disposed of thousands of shares while advancing the market, this theory being partially based on the ease with which stocks are borrowed, 1 despite the large short interest. That the recent declines have bettered the position of the market is probably a act. Many weakly-margined lines have been thrown over and the fictitious upward movement checked for a good setback. In this way the market has been trimmed for the political developments. And in the same manner it has been more or less demonstrated that the market is going to be subject to political conditions, with Bryan scares sure to lead to speculative selling and investment liquidation, while the promise of his defeat will send the shorts

Great Northern.....11

Northern Pacific

Shorts Alarmed.

Shorts became alarmed at the openng and began to cover their commitments furiously. Their efforts to get nder cover resulted in a gain of fro to 2 points all through the list, with ng, Union Pacific, Smelters, and the Hill shares in the lead. Following the initial prices there was some renewed selling by speculators who were working for a further decline.

Their selling caused a reaction of early a point from the high figures. At this point, the insiders, fearing that the market might get beyond their control, should the decline continue, put supporting orders under the market, with the result that the downward movement was checked and prices rose

each on buying which was believed to be for the account of Harriman.

Specialties were higher in sympathy with the balance of the list, Consolidated Gas rising 2½ points, Illinois Central 1½, and National Lead 1.

In connection with Consolidated Gas it was reported that there was buying by the best interests in this yesterday when the stock was selling around 131. Buying of National Lead was said to be also of the best kind and based on the belief that the company will probably increase the dividends on the common stock to 6 per cent.

In London American shares were higher because of the short coverings. The Harriman issues were the leaders in the foreign market.

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After the second upturn the market wobbled a bit, going off from high, but still holding a considerable portion of the advances of the morning. St. other stocks in the list. It was stated with considerable positiveness that Perkins and another man, unnamed, had disposed of nearly 150,000 shares of Steel on the bulge. While the posi-Steel on the bulge. While the position of the company is apparently unquestioned, the fact that insiders were selling checked the buying, and the unusual situation of a strong market with Steel preferred failing to advance was presented, for it has been a good market leader of late.

Reading gained 24 and held the greater part of the advance into the first

DRIVES DAUGHTER TO COMMIT SUICIDE

CHESTERFIELD, Mass., Sept. 23 .-That Esther Hilbert, the missing Lansdowne, Pa., girl, whose body was found in the woods near her home yesterday, was driven to her death by the conduct of her mother, is the theory of the police. What led to the quarrel which the mother is said to have admitted is told by W. J. Murray, a detective on the case.

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Mrs. Hilbert, according to Murray, for many years has been addicted to the use of liquor and drugs. To these failings is attributed the separation from her husband, which occurred about thirteen years ago.

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On Saturday, September 12, Mrs. Hilbert decided to bring her daughter home to help her prepare for entrance into Smith College, which was to have taken place on the 14th. Mrs. Hilbert went to Springfield, and, while there, is said to have indulged too freely. When Esther beheld her mother's condition she lost no time in getting out of the city to her Chesterfield home.

There Mrs. Hilbert announced the intention of accompanying her daughter to Northampton and residing there. Her mother became enraged at the daughter's refusal to acquiesce to the plan, and a bitter quarrel ensued. Mrs. Hilbert threatened to withhold the funds necessary for the girl's education.

Justice of the reace S. G. Anno in the ried the couple in his office this morning, and the Rev. J. G. Butler, of the lauther Memorial Church, will perform the religious ceremony this evening, at the heme of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Ridenour.

The bridegroom is a resident of Harrisburg, Pa.

He has been stationed at Havana, Cuba, since last February. After the wedding this evening, Mr. and Mrs. Delaney will go to Havana, where the groom is engaged in settling the Sparsish claims against the Government of the United States.

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CLUBMAN FINED \$50.

SALEM, Mass., Sept. 23.—Atlan Forbes, well-known clubman and member of the Dedham pony polo team, was found guilty of cruelty to his pony in a game at Myopia on September 12. A fine of \$50 was imposed. Mr. Forbes entered an appeal.

The Department of Commerce and Labor has issued a statement showing that it has found places for 1,600 immigrant workmen in various parts of the United States. Of the total, \$50 have been placed since July 1. The work is under the direction of T. V. Powderly, chief of the Bureau of Information.

IN PRODUCE MARKET

hour of the afternoon. Northern Pacific held a point of its advance; Rock Island, 14; Smelter, I; Union Pacific, 1½; South-Trading Lively in Almost Every Line—Lambs and Cattle Slow.

%: Battimore and Onlo, %; Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 1%; Chesapeake and Ohlo, 1½; Eries, %; Illinois Central, 2½; Great Northern, 1; Locomotive 1%; and Consolidated Gas a like amount.

Well into the second hour of the afternoon the market displayed a steadier tone and the gains of the morning were reasonably well maintained. There were evidences of continued support and the evidences of continued support and the Trading in the local wholesale markets today was of a larger volume than obtained yesterday, marking the approach to Thursday and Friday, usually reasonably well maintained. There were evidences of continued support and the shorts kept on covering on slight dips. In the late dealings the list, with prominent exceptions, held its own well. The Hill stocks, St. Paul, Baltimore and Ohio, Atchison, and a few other shares were soft, but with the exception of losses of 1½ in Great Northern and ½ in Northern Pacifis they closed a little better or about the same prices as at the close yesterday.

The Harriman stocks showed good strength, Reading, Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, and Illinois Central leading the market with the best alvances of the day. he busiest days of the week. The bet ous lines except lambs and cattle. Th chickens' considerably less than the de mand, so that prices held very firm, and % showed a disposition to move to a higher

Eggs of the strictly fresh class were again scarce today. Such as were re-ceived were gulckly taken at 25 cents, grades at 26 cents. Lambs were slov over 51/2 cents, and even to obtain that price they must not be too heavy, and must be smooth and fat. Most sales were at 5 cents. The cattle market was still depressed, prices having declined to cent on the best. Veai calves, chick-ens, and eggs find the readlest market waiting for them.

Today's Prices.

Wholesale prices were as follows, jobbers' figures being a trifle higher. Eggs-Strictly fancy. 26c; Virginia nearbys. 25c; southwest Virginia and West Virginia. 24c. Cheese—Large, New York flats, per lb., 13%-cal3%c; small, 13%-cal4c. Butter—Creamery, fancy, 25a26c; Western firsts, 25c; process, fancy, 20c; fair to good, 19c; dairy, choice, 20c; good, 18a17c.

Poultry. Live Poultry—Chickens, spring, large, per lb., 15½a15c; small, 15c; hens, small, per lb., 13c; large, 12½c; roosters, per lb., 8a8½c; ducks, large, per lb., 11a12c; small, 9a10c; gesse, per lb., 8c; turkeys, toms, per lb., 19a11c; hens, per lb., 12a15c.

Dressed Poultry—Turkeys, undrawn, per lb., 15a17c; small, 16c; hens, per lb., 12a14c; toesters, per lb., 8c; ducks, large per lb., 13a15c; small, 11c; geese, per lb., 13a15c; small, 11c; geese, per lb., 13a12c.

Dressed Meats.

Dressed Meats—Hams, country cured, per lb., ISaléc; beef, fore quarters, per lb., 4a. 5½c; hind quarters, 6a9c; ribs, 7al2c; loins, 8allc; rounds 6a8c.

WHEAT GAINS POINT; CORN FUTURES FIRM

CHICAGO. Sept. 22.—Comparatively and A. J. McArthur, at Rockville, Sat strong Liverpool markets and reported urday, September 19. drougth in southern Argentina with a promise of a short crop, in a measure

After the opening the deferred de liveries showed additional strength of a positive character, December advancing a full point, or to 95% and May to 103%.

Rear Admiral Francis No. 2018 Admiral Francis Admira The range:

Open. High. Low. Close 278 May ..

4% 418 478

NEED TWO WEDDINGS

GETS IMMIGRANTS JOBS.

TO UNITE COUPLE COTTON ADVANCES Two licenses were required and two AS SHORTS COVER

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.-The cotton market opened firmer, with an advance of 2 to 5 points on steady cables and unsettled weather reports with lower temperature throughout the Southwest temperature throughout the Southwest. After the first call prices moved up several points additional, and the strong undertone evidently scared shorts and they covered freely.

The Census Bureau today announced that 4,575,438 bales of cotton had been consumed in the United States up to August 31, as compared with 4,984,336 last year.

Open. High. Low. Close.
October. 8.85 9.03 8.85 8.99
December 8.67 8.84 8.67 8.78
January. 8.55 8.72 8.54 8.66

FINANCIAL GOSSIP. Sales yesterday, 1,422,000 shares of steck and \$4,136,000 bonds. A big day

Mr. Gary's return from abroad was followed by a bad slump in Steels,

The Harriman-Frick-Rockefeller com-bination threw enormous ruying orders on the market yesterday afternoon when the bottom was falling out of the list—the rally resulted.

The bears shifted their prediction that Great Northern's dividend would be cut from September to the next dis-

WASHINGTON RAILWAY PREFERRED SOLD ON MARKET ORDER DOWN FROM 81 TO 80.

Some one had a commission to sell a moderate amount of Washington Rallway and Electric preferred stock on the local exchange, and they executed it on a declining market, the last of nearly PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS. a declining market, the last of nearly 300 shares being marketed at 80. as compared with an opening at 81½ and a closing asked price of 82 yesterday. Sales were made steadily on the downward course, bids being filled and receding 1912 to 1912 the stocks. Sales 1914 Telephone of Fa. 99 TYPE MACHINE STOCKS. until 80 was reached.

That there was such a break does not mean that there is anything wrong with the stock or the market, but Greene Can...... 9%

with the stock or the market, but when there is little domand for a security, and sell at the market order is sure to bring iwer values.

It looked lik a hunting expedition, with a block of stock in the washington Electric as the game.

There was the usual dullness in everything else, Gas selling at 64, and a small lot of Capital Traction at 126.

QUOTATIONS FOR TODAY

Washington Railway, preferred, 100 db, 100 81½, 100 81½, 100 81½, 150 80½, 200 81, 100 81½, 200 80½, 250 800, 250 800, 2

Bid. Asked GAS BONDS. RAILROAD BONDS. Anacostia 98
City & Suburban 5's 109%
Columbia R. R. 5's 103 105
Columbia R. R. 6's 109 112
Metropolitan R. R. 5's 107% 110
Wash. Ry. & Elec. 4's 80% 82
MIS at ULANEOUS BONDS.

Mitchell %
NATIONAL BANK STOCKS. ON WASHINGTON EXCHANGE TRUST COMPANY STOCKS. Wash Loan & Trust... SAVINGS BANK STOCKS. Home Savings 290 Merch, Mec. Savings 140 Arlington . 101% Corcoran Firemen' Franklin German Columbia 3
Real Estate 80
Washington 2½
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS. Potomac Fiec. Lt. 5's...... 105%

TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.

MINING STOCKS.

NEWS AND GOSSIP OF SOCIAL WORLD

(Continued from Sixth Page.)

Chief Engineer of the Navy, Henry W. Fitch and Mrs. Fitch, announce the engagement of their daughter. Emilie Campau, to Albert Pepper Gerhard, of Philadelphia, No date has been set for

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Whitford, who pent the greater part of the summer at Waterloo, N. H., going recently on a short trip to Chicago, have returned to their apartment in the Congres-

General and Mrs. Forbes returned yes-terday to their apartment in the Con-necticut from the Northern resorts, where they spent the summer.

Again in Capital.

Representative E. H. Hubbard and Mrs. Hubbard have returned to their apartment in the Ontario from Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Raiph Ezekiel and Miss Idele Ezekiel have gone to thir country home at Binstead, Del., for ten days, going from there to Philagelphia for Founders' week.

Married at Noon.

The marriage of Miss Martha E, Trun nel and George Perrott, of this city, took place at noon today in the home of the bride on Tenth street southeast, the Rev. A. S. Johns, of Christ Church officiating.

THE CURB MARKET.

Quotations furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., members New York-Stock Exchange, G. Bowle Chipman, manager, 1391 F street, northwest.

Open High Low. 1:30. Pay State Gas.

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Open High

Rear Admiral Francis W. Dickins, U. S. N., and Mrs. Dickins, of Washington,

spending the summer at Manch will return to Washington for a or ten days, about the last of this Mr. and Mrs. Boardman will not r to Washington until November.

MONUMENT IS SAFE FROM THE WIRELESS

Although the matter has not been pre-sented for his official action, it was learned today that the President will, in all probability, not regard favorably the roposition to erect a wireless telegraph tation on the top of the Washington Wigorous opposition has developed to he proposition of the so-called desecra-ion of the monument.

RESIGNATIONS REQUESTED. Secretary Loeb today confirmed the report that Second Assistant Postmaster General James T. McCleary and Paul Ewart, assistant United States attorney, rivals for Congressional honors in the Second district of Minnesota, had been asked to resign in view of their rather strenuous political activities.

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COURT RECORDS OF THE DISTRICT

DISTRICT SUPREME COURT. Equity Court No. 1. CHIEF JUSTICE CLABAUGH.

(Called yesterday.) No. 27612. Tiffen vs. Burr; sale ratified nist. Complaintant's George Francis Williams.

(Called today.)

No. 2784. Smith vs. Smith; proof ordered taken before N. Carroll Downs, examiner. Complaintant's solicitor Campbell Carrington; defendant's solicitors. Campbell Carrington; defendant's soli-citors, J. L. Taylor and A. W. Gray. No. 27973. Mundy vs. Mundy; proof ordered taken before Margaret M. Mur-ray, examiner, and John W. Davidge, appointed attorney to defend. Com-plainant's solicitor, C. Carrington, de-fendant's solicitor, J. W. Davidge. No. 27522. The Edes House vs. Waters; order of publication. Complajnant's so-licitors, Brandenberg & Brandenberg. No. 28008. Corea vs. Fleming; trus-tees' report referred to auditor. Com-plainant's solicitor, C. M. Stadden.

Circuit Court, No. 1.

CHIEF JUSTICE CLABAUGH. (Called today.) (Called today.)

No. 47678. Heacock vs. Glancy; judgment of condemnation of credits in hands of the District Realty Company garnishee for \$3,000. Plaintiff's attorneys, Wilson & Barksdale.

Probate Court.

(Called today.)

Estate of Daniel F. Taylor; letters of administration granted to Louis P. Shoemaker; bond, \$200 Attorneys, W. J. Lambert and R. H. Yeatman.

Estate of Charles D. Belt; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Margaret R. Wroe; bond, \$500. Attorney, P. R. Hilliard.

In re Eleanor L. Wright; order authorizing transfer of assets. Attorney, Charles J. Williamson.

JAIL COMMISSION

The first steps in the institution of were the honor guests at dinner last evening at Lenox of Mrs. Charles Hewitt Wright. A large company was invited to meet them.

The first steps in the institution of a prison system for the District of Columbia have been taken by the commission appointed by President Roosea prison system for the District of velt to visit Cook county and Bridewell, Ill., jails.
The commission is composed of John

The commission is composed of John Joy Edson, R. V. Ladow, representing the Department of Justice, and Judge Stafford, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

When the commission was formed recently it was for the specific purpose of instituting a sweeping prison reform for the entire country.

IN THE CIRCUS.

FINANCIAL

HASKELL SUMMONED

Closeted With the President for Thirty Minutes-Declines to Talk.

(Continued from First Page.)

Ohio. I know nothing about him or his

"Any statement as to my conference with the President should, of course, come from him. I was merely summoned to the White House by phone this morning and came immediately." Haskell's Career.

Harrison. He was continued in office by President Cleveland. Those acquainted with Mr. Haskell's career, say that he has been considered rather a protege of the Hanna school than an advocate o the Foraker policies.

During the first McKinley campaign Mr. Haskell was sent to Alabama and other Southern States, where he did valiant preliminary work for the Re-

It is believed that the President wish-Mr. Haskell night be eliminated from the Hearst matter, following the sug gestion made by Governor Haskell, now under fire, that an official of the Dis trict of Columbia might be the Has-kell referred to by Hearst as representkell referred to by Hearst as representing Standard Oil interests in Ohio. With
such assurance, the President narrows
down the investigation of the charges
against the Oklahoma executive and it
is possible that that fact will be set
forth in detail in the statement, which
it is believed the President may issue
today, in reply to the Bryan telegram.

Straus Takes a Hand In the Haskell Affair

Citing testimony given by the Standard Oil Company and taken from merce and Labor Oscar S. Straus has written a letter to the New York World charging that the Prairie Oil and Gas Company, which was protected by Governor Haskell of Oklahoma when he restrained the attorney general from proecding against it, is a subsidiary comoany of Standard.

ceeding against it, is a subsidiary company of Standard.

Secretary Straus quotes the records to show this strong and unquestioned connection between Haskell and Standard Oil. His letter says:

"I refer you to the evidence taken in the case of the United States vs. the Standard Oil Company, now pending before the United States circuit court, at St. Louis. In that case the Standard Oil Company, upon being required by the Government to put in a list of all the companies in which it held stock, or in which its subsidiary companies held stock, reported, among other things, the following bearing upon this very point: (Petitioner's exhibit No. II.) Prairie Oil and Gas Company, total capital, \$10,000,000; National Traction Company's proportion, \$2,295,500.

"From other exhibits in the same case (9 and 31), furnished by the Standard Oil Company, it appears that the capital stock of the National Traction Company amounts to \$3,65,200, of which the Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, owns, according to its own showing, \$25,65,660.

"You will thus see that you put up to Mr. Haskell a very difficult proposition."

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Today's Vital Records Births.

Horace K. and Ida M. Worthington. Horace K. and ida M. Workington, girl.
Bernard E. and Ethel A. Talbott, girl.
George L. and Helen C. Thompson, girl.
James and Isabelle C. Stahl, girl.
David and Sarah Sinrod, girl.
Charles A. and Bertha Richards, girl.
Robert and Christina Pow, girl.
Bernard F. and Mary E. Mooney, boy.
Henry N. and Emma T. Marks, girl. CHIEF JUSTICE CLABAUGH.

(Called yesterday.)

Estate of Alexander J. Bentley; will
admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted to Alexander G. Bentley; bond \$500. Attorney, Richard A.

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Legiste of Ellen C. Hebb; will dated

Legiste of Alexander J. Bentley; will

Charles A. and Bentley; boy.

Frank J. and Emma T. Marks, girl.

Frank J. and Margaret Kenny, girl.

Millard C. and Jessie R. Harry, girl.

Ashlan F. and Ethel C. B. Harlan, girl.

John and Emma Hardesty, boy.

The Port of the Company of the

Mr. and Mrs. Appleton Cady and family, have returned to their home, in Washington, from their cottage at North Chesapeake Beach, where they spent the summer.

Mrs. Lettie Davis Hurdle, of 225 Indiana avenue, has returned to her home from Bristow, Va., where she was the guest of relatives for several weeks.

Wed in Rockville.

Announcement is made of the marking mentary granted ley; bond \$500. Attorney, Richard A. Frank J. and Margare. Claud and Virgie Knowles, girl. November 13, 1965, filed naming Bertha Ashlan F. and Ethel C. B. Harlan, girl. John and Emma Hardesty, boy. F. P. and Ethel M. Hutchinson, boy. C. Stewart executor, with petition for probate of will and letters testamentary. Attorney H. Clay Stewart.

Estate of Charles S. Wilson; order appointing guardian ad litem.

Estate of John Wesley Douglass; will dated December 16, 1901, filed, naming Henry James D. and Mary F. Foley, boy. The probate of will and letters testamentary. Attorney H. Clay Stewart.

Estate of Charles S. Wilson; order appointing guardian ad litem.

Estate of John Wesley Douglass; will dated December 16, 1901, filed, naming Henry James D. and Mary E. Bailey, girl. William H. and Mary E. Bailey, girl. William H. and Mary E. Bailey, girl. William H. and Mary E. Bailey, girl. Washington. James Cross and Nellie Wallace. Walde M. Ward and Mary McDonoug Le Roy B. C. Delaney, Havana, Cub

Deaths.

Heartis, 40 years, Government Hospital for the Insane.
Henry L. Godsey, 40 years, the Cecil, Fifteenth and L streets.
Eugenia Inglehart, 57 years, Piney Branch road.
William L. Rule, 28 years, 824 D street southeast TO VISIT PRISONS southeast. Margaret F. Zell, 42 years, 1239 Potomac

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INCREASED TRAFFIC PLEASES MANAGERS

Growing Tonnage in West Necessitates Enlarging of Forces

by Railroads. CHICAGO., Sept. 23.-Traffic managers are greatly encouraged with the increased freight tonnage being offered to

the railroads.

but coal, and that is sure to move later. Agricultural products are moving freely both into and from the city. Shipthe South and East in increased volume tonnage of many of the railroads to about where it was this time a year

Officials believe that from now on there will be a steady increase in busi-

Mr. Haskell was formerly United States marshal for the northern district of Ohio, being appointed by President Harrison. He was continued in office by

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